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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR MPH PROGRAM - IN-COUNTRY

1. ONE OF THE COMPONENTS OF LOAN 045 - INTEGRATED RURAL HEALTH DELIVERY SYSTEM WITH THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH (MOH) IS MPH TRAINING FOR DOCTORS TO ADMINISTER PROGRAMS WHICH WILL EXPAND HEALTH COVERAGE IN THE RURAL AREAS. THE MOH HAS IN THE PAST SENT SEVERAL CANDIDATES THROUGH HEALTH TRAINING PROGRAMS TO OBTAIN MPH DEGREES IN THE U.S. AND PUERTO RICO, HOWEVER, HAS ENCOUNTERED DIFFICULTIES IN SELECTING APPROPRIATE CANDIDATES TO MEET LOAN TRAINING ACTIVITIES, PRINCIPALLY BECAUSE MOST CANDIDATES HAVE A LIMITED COMMAND IN ENGLISH.

2. THE MOH WOULD LIKE TO EXPLORE THE POSSIBILITY OF SETTING UP AN IN-COUNTRY MPH PROGRAM WITH EMPHASIS ON PUBLIC HEALTH ADMINISTRATION, IN SPANISH, WITH THE COOPERATION OF A U.S. UNIVERSITY. IT IS INTENDED THAT THIS PROGRAM WOULD ALLEVIATE THE LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY, ACCOMMODATE A LARGER NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS, AND POSSIBLY INSTITUTIONALIZE A MPH PROGRAM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF PANAMA.

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3. MISSION IS REQUESTING IT'S ASSISTANCE TO (A) EXPLORE AVAILABILITY OF PROGRAM WITH VARIOUS U.S. UNIVERSITIES (JOHN HOPKINS AND BERKELEY HAVE BEEN SUGGESTED) THAT HAVE EXPERIENCE IN THE FIELD AND ADVISE DETAILS AND COSTS; (B) IF U.S. UNIVERSITY UNABLE TO DO JOB REQUEST IT CONTACT LATIN AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES THAT MAY BE ABLE TO PROVIDE REQUESTED TRAINING AND ADVISE DTS/430. JORDEN

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